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Representativ	es Present During the Inspection:
OGM	Priscilla Burton Environmental Scientist III
Company	Patrick D. Collins Resident Agent

Inspection Report

Permit Number:	C0070012
Inspection Type:	PARTIAL
Inspection Date:	Monday, July 31, 2006
Start Date/Time:	7/31/2006 10:00:00 AM
End Date/Time:	7/31/2006 12:00:00 PM
Last Inspection:	Friday, June 30, 2006

Inspector: Priscilla Burton, Environmental Scientist III

Weather: overcast 87 F

InspectionID Report Number: 1029

Accepted by: whedberg

8/7/2006

Permitee: NEVADA ELECTRIC INVESTMENT CO
Operator: NEVADA ELECTRIC INVESTMENT CO
Site: WELLINGTON PREPARATION PLANT

Address: 330 E 400 S STE 6, PO BOX 337 SPRINGVILLE UT 84663

County: CARBON

Permit Type: PERMANENT COAL PROGRAM

Permit Status: ACTIVE

Current Acreages					
1,573.50	Total	Permitte			

Total Permitted	
Total Disturbed	392.00
Phase I	
Phase II	
Phase III	

Mineral Ownership

Federal
State

☐ County
☐ Fee
☐ Other

Types of Operations

UndergroundSurface✓ Loadout✓ Processing

Reprocessing

Report summary and status for pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments:

Drove length of undisturbed ditch UD1 and UD-1A. Noted that the UD-1 and UD-1A need cleaning to maintain flow downstream. Noted erosion on side of ditch receiving flow from the undisturbed area. Mr. Collins is questioning the requirements to maintain the side of the ditch. Mr. Collins will provide comments from a previous Division inspector relieving him of the responsibility of ditch maintenance. Drove to Price River bank opposite Price River pumphouse to note status of tamarisk.

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Priscilla Burton, Environmental Scientist III

Date

Tuesday, August 01, 2006

Inspector ID Number: 37

Note: This inspection report does not constitute an affidavit of compliance with the regulatory program of the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining.

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REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Substantiate the elements on this inspection by checking the appropriate performance standard.
 - a. For COMPLETE inspections provide narrative justification for any elements not fully inspected unless element is not appropriate to the site, in which case check Not Applicable.
 - b. For PARTIAL inspections check only the elements evaluated.
- 2. Document any noncompliance situation by reference the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
- 3. Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performace standard listed below.
- 4. Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Divison Orders, and amendments.

		Evaluated	Not Applicable	Comment	Enforcemen
1.	Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale				
2.	Signs and Markers	V		✓	
3.	Topsoil				
4.a	Hydrologic Balance: Diversions	✓		✓	
4.b	Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments	✓		✓	
4.c	Hydrologic Balance: Other Sediment Control Measures				
4.d	Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring				
4.e	Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations				
5.	Explosives				
6.	Disposal of Excess Spoil, Fills, Benches				
7.	Coal Mine Waste, Refuse Piles, Impoundments				
8.	Noncoal Waste				
9.	Protection of Fish, Wildlife and Related Environmental Issues				
10.	Slides and Other Damage				
11.	Contemporaneous Reclamation				
12.	Backfilling And Grading				
13.	Revegetation				
14.	Subsidence Control				
15.	Cessation of Operations				
16.a	Roads: Construction, Maintenance, Surfacing				
16.b	Roads: Drainage Controls				
17.	Other Transportation Facilities				
18.	Support Facilities, Utility Installations				
19.	AVS Check				
20.	Air Quality Permit				
21.	Bonding and Insurance				
22.	Other				

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2. Signs and Markers

The sign at the entrance to the west side of the preparation plant was fading. Inconsistencies between this sign and the one on the west side of the railroad were noted. Mr. Collins will re-write the west side sign so that it is legible and correct any inconsistencies between the two signs.

4.a Hydrologic Balance: Diversions

Ditch UD-1A and UD-1 are shown on Plate F9-177 sheet 1 of 2. Ditch maintenance according to design is required by R645-301-732.300 and R645-301-742.310 et seq and R645-301-742.330 et seq. The Wellington Preparation is due for ditch maintenance at UD-1A and UD-1. In several locations along the east end of ditch UD-1A and UD-1 erosion has created rills on the ditch bank and filled the ditch with sediment. In particular, one accumulation of sediment in ditch UD-1 has ponded water. Mr. Collins indicated that these sediment accumulations will be cleaned out. Mr. Collins is under the impression that it is not necessary to repair the eroded side of the ditch. He indicated that a previous Division inspector, released him from that responsibility. Photographs were taken of the eroded ditch.

4.b Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments

The Dryer pond was receiving water at a rate of 1 - 2 gpm. The water was cold, estimated temperature of 65 F. The auxiliary pond held water as well. The slurry pipeline road pond was dry. Photos were taken of the ponds.



